### FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

FRIDAY, Dec. 18-6 P. M. Money worked even more closely to-day than yes-terday, all that was offered at seven per cent being cagerly taken up, and borrowers in many cases being obliged to pay gold interest. There was less talk than yesterday of a probable "locking up" of funds, and it would appear that if ever such a scheme were contemplated it has been ahandoned as being unlikely to result very much to the advantage of those privy to it. The difficulty presented by the large enrency balance in the Treasury to the accomplish-ment of any very great effect makes this a reasonble conjecture, the men who would conceive such a comp being shrewd enough not to engage in it unless the fully to control all the influences likely to present any formidable opposition to its success. Someig of the present tightness in money is due to the anticipation of another "unfavorable" bank statement this week, it being well known that shipments of currency South and West have continued since the last statement, and speculations are already indulged in that the decrease of legal tenders I consequence this week will nearly it not fully equal last. The high rate of interest paid on call loans imits business in commercial paper. Rates contimue from 8 to 10 per cent nominat. Foreign ex-change was dull to-day and off arout 1/4 from the rates of yesterday, but closed firm on the basis of prime bankers', sixty days, 100 %; short sight, 110 %. We quote:-Sterling, sixty days, commercial, 108% a 109%; bankers', 109% a 109%; short sight, 110% a 110%; Paris, sixty days, 5.20 a 5.16%; short sight, 5.13% a 5.12%; Antwerp, 5.20 a 5.16%; Switzerland, 5.20 a 5.10%; Hamburg, 33% a 35%; Amsterdam, 40% a 41%; Frankfort, 40% a 41%; Bremen, 78% a 79;

Gold opened this morning at 124% and before two o'clock sold down to 1341, with a quiet, dull market. Earlier than this intelligence had been received by prominent banking houses of a decline in American securities in London and Frankfort, with the further intelligence that the market was ill. Contemplation of these advices induced the conclusion that new complications had arisen in the Oriental question, and large orders were given by several firms to their brokers to buy gold. These being executed advanced the price, when the "shorts," taking alarm and fearing serious embar-rassments in the future, "covered," and the price rose in a short time to 135%. A disposition to at this high rate in turn caused a reaction, and the market, after fluctuating freely between 135%, 185% and 135%, closed at the latter in the Gold Room, but weakening still more after Clearing House hours, finally settled at 135 on the street. Some heavy purchases of coin were made in the afternoon by foreign houses, and for a time the market was quite feverish and excited. The large supply of cash gold on hand and the high rate paid for carrying, 4, 5, and even 1 32 of one per cent, operated, however, against the continuance of a high premium, and the excitement speedily subsided. The following were the dealings at the Gold Exchange Bank to-day:—Gross clearances, \$66,552,000; gold balances, \$2,005,282; currency balances, \$3,082,980. Governments to-day presented but few features of

sterest, opening duil and heavy at about closing rates of yesterday, weakening through the day under a limited demand and closing about 1/4 off the orning prices for a portion of the list, with the balance steady and an unsettled market. The scarcity of money is operating to some extent to ness to sell at concessions in order to ob tain currency, being fearful of a still greater strincy, either natural or artificial, about the period of the holidays. This feeling exciting a strong bear pressure in the market is the principal cause of the esent depreciation, and as it is only temporary in its nature its effects are likely to be similarly fleeting. The following were the closing quotations at five o'clock:-United States 6's, Pacific Railroad, 99% a 09%; do. do., 1881, registered, 109 a 109%; do. do., coupon, 1141/4 \$ 1141/4; do. 5-20's, registered, 105 % à 106; do., coupon, 1862, 110 % a 110 %; do. do., 1864, 105 % a 105 %; do. do., 1865, 107 % a 107 %; do. do., new, 1865, 100% a 110; do. do., 1867, 100% a 110; do. do., 1868, 110 a 11014; do., 10-40's, registered, 10236

a 103; do. do., coupon 105 a 105%.

State bonds were quiet to-day, without much business doing, except in North Carolinas and Tensees, and closed weak. At the first open board North Carolina 6's, ex coupon, sold at 65, and new rennessees, at the last open board, at 681/4. The following were the closing quotations in the regular board:—Tennessee 6's, ex coupon, 68 a 69; Tennessee 6's, new, 68 a 68 %; Virginia 6's, ex coupon, 55 a 56; do. do., new bonds, 57 a 571/4; North Carolina 6's,

advance concentrated all the interest of the market in this stock, almost to the exclusion of dealings in others, with the exception of Rock Island, which continued strong during the day in consequence, opening at 108% and seiling up to 108%, but sympathizing afterwards with theebb movement in Central and closing off. The rest of the market was dull and barely steady. As the irst move in the bull programme, the aim of which is undoubtedly to place Eric again in the list of speculative shares, the operations in Central so far shot excellent management, while it is certain the end is not yet. It is quite probable that Central will witness a still forther advance to-morrow. Bets have been freely offered that it will sell at 132, while one-quarter of one per cent has been orbred for a call one or two thousand at that figure prophecies are indulged in that it will reach 135. The art ficial character of this rise is to apparent that but few outsiders are in the market, and even brokers hesitate to purchase; so that it is equally within the range of postbility that the entire fabric should come tumbling down about the eats of all who have been entrapped into dealings. We do not, safest policy for all who operate in narrow margins is to stand from under, as we regard this as but the as we have before said, for the rehabilitation of Erie. the managers of which have ample capital to carry

The following were the closing quotations at halfpast five o'clock of the principal stocks:-New York Central, 1814, a 1814; Eric, 20% a 39%; Hudson River, 126 a 127 14: Reading, 1644 a 98 14: Michigan Southern, 86% a 86%; Pittsburg, 82% a 82%; Northwestern, 76 a 76 4: Northwestern preferred, 78% a 78%; Toledo, 101% a 102; Rock Mand, 108% a 108%; Port Wayne, 110 a 110 4; Milwantee and St. Paul, 65% a 6516: 85. Paul preferred, 83 a 83 4; Ohio and Mississippi 19% a 29%; Western Union Telegraph,

The receipts for customs and the receipts, payments and balances at the Sub-Treasury in this city for the expired portion of the week have been as

Custom House.	Sub-Treasury,-			
Receipts.	Receipts.	Payments.	Balances.	
Dec. 14\$261,335	\$3,137,430	\$3,601,517	\$90,627,893	
Dec. 15 334,504	945,961	553,592	91,020,262	
Dec. 16., 244,575	879,339	476,566	91,423,035	
Dec. 17., 251,809	850,696	1,049,765	91,223,966	
Dec. 18 263,000	724,930	2,018,697	89,930,200	
The value of the	importatio	ns of dry g	oods at the	
port of New York	for the w	eek ending	December	
17 compares with t	he previou	week as fo	Howa:-	

Entered for consumption. \$629.574
Withdrawals 217,443
Warehoused 295,191 Dec. 17. \$463,963 202,444 227,972

## SALES AT THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

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Half-past Two o'Clock P. M.

### COMMERCIAL REPORT.

BUILDING MATERIALS.—The market for almost all articles coming under this classification was moderately active at the prices previously current. Eastern spruce was in moderate demand and steady in value, the sales being 400,000 feet at from \$19 to \$20 60, chiefly at \$20. The arrivals are still moderate, but the stock is fair. Latin were steady, with sales at \$3. Rosendale cement was steady at \$3, while lime sales at \$3. Roseudale cemeut was steady at \$2, while lime was also steady at \$1.60 for common and \$2 for lump. Bricks were unchanged. We quote:—Long Island, \$11 a \$12; Croton \$185 a \$22. New Jersey, \$9 a \$11.50; North river, \$11 a \$13.50, and Philadelphia front, \$45 a \$50. COTTON.—Receipts, \$2,96 bates. The demand was good for at purposes and a fair business was transacted, and the market purposes and a fair business was transacted, and the market purposes and a fair business was transacted, and the market purposes and a set of the sales for tubers. The sales were \$250 butes, including 1,579 for expert, 1,155 for spinning and \$55 on speculation. The sales for tubers delivery were to a fair extent, being 20 bates middling, for January, at \$45c. 100 do.

ø	low do., for January, at 23%c. : 125 do. low do., for April, at
	23c.; 250 do. do., for February, at 28%c., and 500 do, middling
2	New Origans, for February, at 25c. We quote: -
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Si	Flyrida, Memphis, Texas.
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31	Good ordinary 2014 2014
9	Low middling 345 345
al.	Midding 25% 25%
26	Good middling
8	COOPERAGE STOCK was slow of sale at the following quo-
u	tations:Sugar shooks, 38 inch heads, \$3 a \$3 15; sugar
a	shooks, 35 inch beads, \$2 50 a \$2 55; molasses do., 32 inch
雅	heads, \$2 75 a \$3 85; rum do., \$5 50; pipe do., \$6 50 a \$7;
	box do., #80; green hoops, 14 feet, \$55 a \$56; green hoops, 12
a	feet, \$48 a \$52.
u	COFFEE, Rio continued in fair demand and the market
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a	was steady at our last quotations. The sales were 3,183 bags,
u	ex Harvest Queen, and 414 do., ex steamer Mississippi, on
	private terms. Other kinds were dull and nominal. Sales
(d)	107 bags Mexican at 16c., gold, duty paid.
靐	COPPERFor ingot the market was tolerably active, but

March delivery.

DEUGS AND DYES were slow of sale but quite steady in value. Sales, 50 tons soda sab at 2%c., gold; 76 do, sal soda at 1%c. oc., 50 do caustic soda at 4%c. o. 4%c. do.; 50 do caustic soda at 4%c. o. 4%c. do.; 50 casks bleaching powders at 4c., currency, and 500 kegs bi carb. soda, which was quoted at 4c., gold, on private terms.

FLOWER AND GRATN.—Receipt, 6,852 bils, four, 180 do. and 8,50 sacks corn meal, 11,274 bushels corn, 240 do. oats, and 625 do mail. The market for State and Western flow was duil, but prices were unchanged. Shippers bid lower was duil, but prices were unchanged. Shippers bid lower but holders were generally firm and we make no change in our quotations. California flower was still duil and almost unsalable; the sales were 8,000 bils. Southern was quiet, and prices were heavy; sales 500 bbls. Rye four was quiet and heavy, though prices were not lower:

flour was quiet and heavy, though prices we sales 220 bbls. Corn meal was dull and un	ere not lower;
quote:-	Name of the Party
No. 1 State	85 00 a 85 15
Superfine State	5 90 a 6 50
Extra State	7 00 a 8 00
Choice do	7 75 a 8 50
Superfine Western	5 90 a 6 50
Extra do	6 90 a 9 00
Round hoop Obio, shipping brands	7 00 a 8 00
Round noop Ohio, trade brands	8 00 a 11 00
St. Louis low extra	8 00 a 9 00
St. Louis straight extra	9 00 a 10 00
St. Louis choice double extra	11 00 a 12 00
St. Louis choice family	18 00 a 14 00
Southern choice and family	
Southern superfine and extra	6 36 a 11 00
California flour (sacks and bbls.)	7 00 a 12 00
Rye flour	6 60 a 8 50
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Corn meal Jersey.

—Wheat was dull and nominally lc. a 2c. lower. Buyers bid lower than sellers were disposed to accept, and there were no sales of spring, the market closing normally \$1.88 a \$1.62 for No. 2 in store and afloat. California was cuiet but steady at \$2.30 a \$2.25, with sales of 20,000 bushels within the range. Corn was quiet and steady for old and dull and lower for new The sales were 75.000 bushels at \$1.10 a \$1.145 for old, in store and afloat, closing at \$1.14 affont; 28c. a \$1 for new mixed, \$1.08 a \$1.10 for do. white and \$2.06 for old. In store and afloat, closing at \$1.14 affont; 28c. a \$1 for new mixed, \$1.08 a \$1.00 bushels at 78 \( \) is a \$1.08 a \$1.00 bushels at 78 \( \) is a \$1.00 southern yellow. Oals were dull and easier, the sales being confined to about \$2.000 bushels at 78 \( \) is a \$1.00 a \$1.00 bushels at 78 \( \) is a \$1.00 a \$1.00 bushels. If rmer, Western being quoted at \$1.55 a \$1.00. Barley was unchanged; sales \$2.000 bushels German at \$2.30 delivered. Barley mait was dull and nominal.

First.—The market for dry cod was dull, but prices were unchanged; deorge's being quoted at \$7.37\( \) a \$2.50 and Bank at \$7. Arrivals small and stock light. For mackers later was a \$1.00 bushels of the sales at \$1.00 bushels at \$1.00 bus

65; do. do., new bonds, 67 & 57/5; Noted Carlotte Salva (1985) and 66; do. do., new bonds, 62% a 62%; Missouri Fs, 90% a 90%.

HEMP remained dull and nominal at He., gold, for manins, 58, 90% a 90%.

HIDES.—The market was fairly active, and with a very light stock prices were firm at our quotations annexed. There were sales of 18,000 Buenos Ayres, 22 a 22% lbs., at 132%, settling again to 14% and closing at 131% a 132%, settling again to 14% and closing at 131% a 15% c, 60% of weak market. Acc., 600 Vera Cruz, 18 (bit, 40%) of 18% of 1

terms. Refined bar was dull at \$50 a \$95. New rafis were quiet at \$78 a \$60, currency, for American and \$51 a \$53, gold, for English.

INDIGO was dull, the demand being confined to the immediate wants of jobbers; but prices were steady at \$90, a \$1.05 for Madras, \$21 80 a \$25 for Bengal, 70c. a \$1.05 for Mania and \$1.25 a \$1.05 for Gusternala, all gold.

LEATHER—The market for hemiock sole was tolerably active, the demand being chiefly for heavy leather, which, however, was a shade lower. Frime was steady at former quotations; receipts fair but stock unaltered. Oak was in improved demand at previous prices, while rough was steady, with a fair demand, chiefly for good lots.

MolasSes.—New Orienns was in moderate demand from the former prices, the sales being 60 bbls. at 75c. a \$60 for the former prices, the sales being 60 bbls. at 75c. a \$60 for the former prices, the sales being 60 bbls. at 75c. a \$60 for the former prices, the sales being 60 bbls. at 75c. a \$60 for the former prices, the sales being 60 bbls. at 75c. a \$60 for the former prices, the sales being 60 bbls. at 75c. a \$60 for the former prices, the sales being 60 bbls. at 75c. a \$60 for the former prices, the sales being 60 bbls. at 75c. a \$60 for the former prices, the sales being 60 bbls. at 75c. a \$60 for the former prices and of the following clusters.—Chiba centrifugal and chiral at the following clusters of the following clusters.—Chiba centrifugal and drivers at \$60 for merchantable islands, \$60 for a strike or a strike more active, and the market closed form at yesterdar's quotations, viz.—50c. a \$60 for merchantable and shipping lots. Sales 187 bbls. at \$60 for merchantable and shipping lots. Sales 187 bbs. at \$60 for merchantable and shipping lots. Sales 187 bbs. at \$60 for former prices. Residently \$600 bbls. common and good strained at \$240 a \$24 chieffs at the inside price; 150 do. No. 2 at \$25 for server still dult.

The sales were fully \$6,000 bbls. common and good strained at \$60 dbs. Whilmington at \$3.575; \$0 do. Newbern at \$2.25 fo

No. 2 at \$2.50 at \$2.60 and small lots of pale at \$5 a \$5. Vegoties—Strained, \$2.40 a \$2.51. No. 2, \$5. a \$4.40; pale, \$4.75 a \$5.75; extra do., \$5.a \$8. Tar was in better demand; alse 30 bibs. Wilmington at \$3.576; 20 do. Newbern at \$2.50.

Otta.—Linseed was in demand, and prices were again a shade higher, being 190c, a \$1.01 in casks and bbls. There were saice in Roston of 10,000 gallons at \$7.c. a \$9c. Lard was firm, with small saice at \$1.45 for prime winter. Olive was doll at \$2.55 a \$9.00, white e kip distilled red was dull and nominal at \$7c. a \$9c. Lard was firm, with small saice at \$1.45 for prime winter. Olive was doll at \$2.55 a \$9.00. White e kip distilled red was dull, and we heard of no transactions; prices were unchanged, however. Ornde whale being quoted at \$1. Bleached winter do. \$1.10 a \$2.10 kg. 200.

Perbolkeun.—Receipts, 4,535 bbls. refined and 1,347 do. crude. The business in the latter was small, but prices were steady at about yeasterday's quotations. The saics were 400 bbls., in bulk, at lister, and 500 do. for January at 175cc, the market closing at 185cc. a 15 dc. For refined the market was quite, the demand being light, but prices were quite steady at 185cc. For refined the market was quite, the demand being light, but prices were done to the said of the

Timothy was nominal at \$5 and rough flax was steady STRABURE. The business was moderate, but prices were sithout particular change. Eales 12,000 ibs. at from 15 jec. to

on private terms.

Williskey.—Receipts, 433 bbls. The demand was light, buprices were steady. Sales 100 bbls. at \$1 02 a gl 03, duppaid.

## CURIOUS CRIMINAL TRIAL IN CONNECTICUT.

Wilson, the Burglar, Attempts to Escape on Cross-Examines Witnesses and Addresses the

the Way to Court—Tries His Own Case—Cross-Examines Witnesses and Addresses the Jury.

[From the Hartford Times, Dec. 17.]

The trial of the burglars Wilson and Reichton before the superior Court was put down for this morning, and long before the hour appointed the court room was crowded.

Wilson was brought from the jall shortly before ten o'clock, and on leaving the jailyard he made an attempt to escape. In consequence of the injury to his feet. Mr. Fenn, the jailer, has had him conveyed to and from the jail to the court room in a burgy. This morning he was to be driven up by Mr. Parsons, a deputy sheriff, and Mr. Fean was to accompany Reichtoff. Wilson jumped into the buggy (the horse being hitched to a post), while Mr. Parsons proceeded to unfasten the hitchline. Just as Parsons strened to enter the buggy Wilson seized the reins and started the horse. He was hardly quick enough, as Mr. Parsons seized Wilson from behind and called for help. At the same time some boys stopped the horse and Wilson was secured. He was then taken to the court room. Hereafter he will be handcuffed when he is taken through the streets, though it is likely that his next trip will be to the State Prison.

Shortly after ten o'clock the court was opened and after some preliminary business the burglars were called up. The complaint of horsestealing which was filed against them on Tuesday was changed to burglary, in breaking into the barn of Mr. Frederick Tyler, and to this charge both pleaded not guity. They were then released from the prisoner's box and allowed seats at the counsel table. After the jury had been empanelled Wilson, who conducted the case for the defence, challenged the jury men, saying that he did not desire any one on the jury who had formed an opinion of his or his companion's guilt or innocence. No one answering to the challenge the case proceeded.

Mr. Wm. N. Beach, of Meriden, was the first witness. He testified to having arrested the two men and finding the stolen property of Mr. Tyler in the shed of Mr. E. R. But

and finish his chores.

John Rourke, who works for Mr. Tyler, testified as to the nature of the stolen property, how the barn was broken open, and to the recovery of the property at Meriden. Wison thought he would not cross-ex-

at sterioen. When thought he would not cross-ex-amine this witness. Mr. Frederick Tyler was the next witness. He testified to the loss of his property and to a conver-sation with Wilson, during which the latter told him that "the man who kept such a d—d old plug as that ought to go to State Prison for five years." During his cross-examination Wilson asked Mr. Tyler if he kept good horses. Mr. Tyler replied, "You can judge of one."

S. O. Church corroborated the testimony of Mr. Beach.

W. P. Chamberlin, Chief of Police, was next called. He said that all he knew about the matter was obtained in a confidential conversation with Wilson, and that these confessions were made under promise of secrecy, and that all the benefit of it should go to the young men. The State Attorney appealed, but the Judge would not allow the Chief to testify. This closed the case for the prosecution, and Wilson said, "The testimony of the prosecution is our testimony. The jury will receive my word as soon as my oath."

Judge Fardes informed them that if he had any facts in the case he could only present them under oath, but that he could use all the arguments his ingenuity could conceive on the facts already presented.

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Wison then desired to be put under oath and to testify. He said he visited M: "yier's barn, took the horse and buggy, but only for temporary use; that he used it, left it where it was in plain sight, and never had an idea of stealing the property.

He was cross-examined by Mr. Hamersley and corroborated his story. On being asked what he had in the buggy besides Mr. Tyler's property he declined to answer. The Court said he must answer. "Must!" he asked indignantly. "Am I supposed to answer that which will criminate myself?" The Judge said he must reply to the questions, and Mr. Hamersley asked if he took the robes found around the silks stolen from Brown, Thomson & Co.'s. He replied that he didn't know; couldn't tell, as they made those things as near alike as eggs, and it was difficult to tell one from another; he recognized only one of the robes—the one left on the horse; he could not tell how many he took from Tyler's barn; only took what he wanted for his own use; had a quantity of silks in the wagon and two vallees when he started, but made a deposit in Berlin, wrapping the silks up in some of the robes for protection, as he had a slight idea of returning them. This closed his story.

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and a slight idea of returning them. This closed his story.

Mr. Hammersley then summed up for the prosecution. He was followed by Wilson, who addressed the gentlemen of the jury, and Mr. Hamersley as "My learned brother." He said that he had committed no crime—only a trespass, and that he could only be prosecuted for the wear and tear of the horse, which, he said, was considerable under the circumstances; the evidence, whatever it was, was only against him, and not against the young man, his friend, and he asked for an acquittal of him on the ground of right, and not as a favor. He then referred to the Cole-Hiscock jury, at Albany; that, he said, was a learned and well paid jury; it was their supposition that no same man could commit a crime; it was sinning against ourselves, our fellow men and our Creator, and therefore a triple crime, and no same man would do this. I expect you, gentlemen of the jury, to decide this case on its rights. All it wants is a little common sense, and I believe you have a share of that; I therefore leave it with you.

The Judge them, at noon, delivered his charge to the jury, who retired, and after an absence of about an hour returned for further instructions, having disagreed. They retired again at one o'clock.

## NEW JERSEY INTELLIGENCE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP DIFFICULTY-WEISSENBORN DISCHARGED.-Justice Aldridge discharged Weissenborn yesterday morning on the ground that the charge made against him was not substantiated. On the question of validity of contract it is a matter, in the opinion of the Justice, for a court of chancery to decide. No ball was asked at any time for the accused, and he was allowed to go on his own recognizance. Weissenborn has commenced a suit against Sieghurtner, whom he charges with perjury. In the meantime a receiver will be appointed to take charge of the affairs of the establishment. born yesterday morning on the ground that the

Trenton.

RECOVERY OF A STOLEN HORSE.—On Monday night a splendid horse, presented to Dr. McCosh, of Prince ton College, by Mr. Bonner, of the New York Ledger, was stolen from the stables at Princeton. No clue was stolen from the stables at Princeton. No clue as to the whereabouts of the animal could be obtained till Thursday night, when officer Brown, of the Trenton police, received such intelligence that he repaired to the residence of a farmer named Abbott, on the Sandtown road, near this city, where he found the animal in a stable. On inferrogation Abbott says he found the horse at his farmyard gate a few mornings ago and took care of him in expectation of finding his owner. The officer brought the horse to frenton yesterday morning, and in the afternoon a messenger arrived from Princeton commissioned to take home the animal. Fifty dollars reward was offered for its recovery.

FATAL ACCIDENT.-Mr. A. K. Paige, residing a No. 14 John street, and boss dyer at the Franklin Calico Print Works, was caught upon a shaft yester day morning and instantly killed.

# NAVAL INTELLIGENCE.

The United States steamer Shamokin, which ar rived at Norfolk a few days ago, had on board a num ber of prisoners under sentence by a court martia

ber of prisoners under sentence by a court martial for autiny and disobedience. She is to bring them to this port. The following was the list of her onicers ablast report:—
Commander, David L. Braine; Lieutenant Commander, U. P. Smith; Lieutenant, G. M. McClure; Master, S. H. Raker; Acting Master, Gilbert Morton; Acting Ensagns, Robert Sheppard and Francis Suttle; Mates, Thomas M. Nelson and Henry Sebley; Surgeon, H. M. Welles; Paymaster, Edward Bellowers, Acting First Assistant Engineer, C. W. Crask; Second Assistant Engineers, H. D. Sellman, L. W. Robinson, Andrew Biythe and R. T. Bennett.

# NEW YORK CITY.

THE COURTS.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT. The Watson & Crury Distillery Case-The

Before Judge Blatchford. United States vs. The Rectifying Distillery 171, 173 and 175 Christopher Street.—Yesterday was the fifth day of the trial of this case, and when the Court rose it was still undecided, it being adjourned till Monday next. Only a few witnesses were examined, and their testimony was substantially the same as that already given by other witnesses examined in the case.
At the close of the testimony counsel on both sides

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At the close of the testimony counsel on both sides briefly addressed the Court and jury.

Mr. Courtney, on behalt of the government, asked the Court to direct a verdict to be given for the government, under the twenty-sixth section,

Judge Blatchford sad, in reference to this motion—I have had this question under consideration in a good many cases. It is perfectly clear there is nothing to go to the jury under the twenty-sixth section. There must be a verdict for the government; there is no possible escape. The defendants themselves prove the case clearly, beyond all peradventure. If the jury should throw out the defendant's evidence the evidence then, under this twenty-sixth section, would remain clear and full. It is proved that thirty barreis were received there on the 1st of February and seventy barreis on the 4th and 5th of February. It is perfectly plain that they were dumped—some of them, at all events. Mr. Loeb testifies that five barreis received on the 5th were dumped as they were received. Now, my view of the law is that it is perfectly plain that it requires that an entry shall be made daily, from day to day, in the common sense in which that word daily is used in common parlance, during the day in which the spirits were received. A rectifier has no business to receive spirits unless he can make the proper entry. If he cannot comply with the regulation he must go out of the business. He must enter the number of gallons purchased, of whom purchased and the degree of proof. The government does not unnecessarily pry into his business. He must enter the number of gallons purchased, of whom purchased and the degree of proof. The government does not unnecessarily pry into his business. He must enter the number of gallons purchased, of whom purchased and the degree of proof. The government does not unnecessarily pry into his business. He does not unnecessarily pry into his business. He does not unnecessarily pry into his business. He does not un

#### UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS' COURT. Charge of Extortion Against an Internal Revenue Official.

Before Commissioner Owen. fendant is charged with having extorted money and goods, to the value of \$1,000, from Oscar Hoym, by rethe time an internal revenue officer, would settle a case then pending against him for a violation of the internal Revenue law. The examination into the case was postponed till the 27th inst.

Serious Charge Against a Carrier.

The United States vs. William Seaman .- The deendant, who is a carman, was charged with having stolen a large quantity of goods, the property of the firm of Bendener & Zughtell. The defendant was sent for a load of goods to the steamer, which he received, but instead of delivering them at the store he sold the goods. The examination was postponed till the 28th instant, the defendant being held in default of \$5,000 bail.

## SUPREME COURT-CHAMBERS.

The Erie War-Argument of Counsel-The Further Hearing Adjourned till This Morn-Before Judge Cardozo.

August Belmont and Others cs. The Eric Railway Company.-The hearing in this case was resumed yesierday, and after lengthy arguments by two of the counsel—Mr. Rapallo and Judge Porter—the fur-ther hearing was adjourned till this morning at ten

#### COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS. Before Recorder Hackett.

ROBBERS SENT TO THE STATE PRISON The Grand Jury came into court yesterday with another batch of indictments. Mr. Ely, the foreman, stated that they had finished all the business brought before them. Recorder Hackett thanked them for

the term and discharged the jury from further at-

John McGuire, alias "Fay," who was indicted for obbery in the first degree, pleaded guilty to grand arceny. The indictment charged that on the 12th

larceny. The indictment charged that on the 12th inst., while Mr. Stephen Thorne was passing up Broadway, he was accosted by the prisoner, who setzed his cravat, in which was piaced a diamond pin, and also his gold chain. He then ran away, but was pursued and arrested by officers.

Wm. McMahon made a similar pica, the indictment against him being for the same high grade of offence. The complainant, Dudley R. P. Wilcox, alleged that on the 9th of this month, while he was at the rear of a house in Grand street, he was attacked by McMahon and another man. After they knocked him down they stole eighty-one dollarsin money and a savings bank book representing \$500, which was deposited in the Citizens' Savings Bank. The bank book was found in the possession of McMahon when arrested. The Recorder sent McGuire and McMahon each to the State Prison for five years.

Wm. Larcey pleaded guilty to an attempt at grand larceny, the indictment charging him with stealing a gold watch and chain from Michael Rice on the 9th nst. He went into Rice's store with another man and feigned to be intoxicated and sick, and while there violently tore the watch from his pocket. He was sent to the State Prison for two years and six months.

Joseph Wilson, who was charged with stealing,

months. Wilson, who was charged with stealing, on the 10th inst., two cornets, worth \$100, the property of John T. Stratton, pleaded guilty to an attempt at grand larceny. He was sent to the Penitentary for one year.

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George Wood, who was jointly indicted with Wilson, was discharged.

Anthony Gillespie, against whom there was an indictment for stealing two tubs of butter, valued at forty-four dollars, from William Ludwig, on the 10th of December, pleaded guilty to petty larceny. He was sent to the Penitentiary for six months.

John Lee, who was jointly charged with the commission of the offence, was discharged.

Michael McCarty, who stole thirty-nine dollars worth of wearing apparei from Wm. Klenard, on the 12th inst., pleaded guilty to petty larceny. He was sentenced to the Penitentiary for six months.

Wm. Wooby, a colored boy, who pleaded guilty to embezzlement in appropriating to his own use the sum of eighty-one dollars belonging to the proprietor of the Arlington House, was sent to the Penitentiar y for sixty days.

The court adjourned till Monday.

## CITY INTELLIGENCE.

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY .- The following record will show the changes in the temperature for the past twenty-four hours, as indicated by the therpast twenty-four nours, as indicated by the diefremometer at Hudnut's pharmacy, Herald Building, Broadway, corner of Ann street:—

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F. W. Jewell, lying at the foot of Seventh street, fell overboard yesterday and was rescued by an officer of the Seventeenth precinct.

Military Funeral.—The funeral of Captain Charles Childs, late of the Ninth regiment, New York

volunteers, and First regiment, National Guard, will take place to-day. The Ninth regiment (Hawkins' Zouaves) will parade in full uniform and act as escort on this occasion.

A Hoax.—The report as circulated yesterday that the "whiskey ring" were about to either fire or blow up the United States Court buildings in Chambers

street, for the purpose of destroying important evi-dence against prominent members of that ring, turned out, upon investigation, to be a grand hoax. FIRE AT THE STATE ARSENAL .- Early Jesterday morning a fire was discovered in the State Arsenal building, corner of Seventh avenue and Thirty-fifth street. The prompt action of the employ's soon ex-tinguished the flames, and the damage is conse-quently inconsiderable. Had the fire reached the in-terior of the building on the first floor, where large

quantities of ammunition are stored, the effect on the surrounding property would have been fearful. LECTURES LAST NIGHT.—The lecture season is fairly naugurated. Last night Signor Biaggi delivered lecture on "Literature and Pine Arts in Italy;" George W. Curtis repeated his lecture on "Political Mow. Curis repeated in secture on "Fortist morning rality;" Susan B. Anthony spoke of "Woman and Her Work;" De Cordova delivered his humorous lecture, entitled the "Spratta at Saratoga," and Professor Schlaginitweit delivered another in his course of lectures in German on "Asiatic Travel and Discourse of the Course of the Co

DIED IN PRISON .- An inquest was held yesterday at the Blackwell's Island Hospital by Coroner Schirmer, over the body of a convict named Robert Johnson, aged fifty-three. Deceased was convicted of forgery on the 10th of January, 1868, before Judge Russell, who sentenced him to one year's imprisonment. Dr. Cushman made the usual post mortem examination and discovered that death had resulted from pneumonia. The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with that theory.

ALLEGED FORGERY .-- A young man named James smith was arrested yesterday afternoon by order of Inspector Dilks, on the charge of attempting to pass a forged check for \$330 on the Butchers and Drovers' Bank, the check purporting to be signed by Samuel M. Valentine and drawn to the order of J. Hunter. After Smith had been arrested Mr. Valentine was sent for by the Inspector, and on being shown the check he pronounced it a forgery. Smith was locked up in one of the delightfully healthy rooms at the Central Office, there to await his introduction to a police magistrate this morning.

BILLIARDS .- Melvin Foster and Michael Phelan played a game of 300 points last night on a French carom table at Chris Conor's, Fourteenth street. The object of the game was to give Foster an opportu object of the game was to give roster an opportunity of practicing previous to his match with Dion, at the Academy of Music, on the 23th inst. The scoring was very good, but both players missed several very easy shois. Foster gave Phelan 125 points, but the latter only succeeded in scoring 115. The largest runs made by Foster were 39, 24, 22 and 16. Phelan's largest runs were 15, 7, 6 and 5. The game, which occupied nearly two hours in playing, was won by Foster without effort.

A CHARGE OF FORGERY .- The son of Mr. Hollaker, a liquor dealer in the Bowery, presented a check at the Bowery National Bank yesterday which purported to be drawn by Gustav Hubner, a saloon keeper in the Bowery, to the order of Charles Hukeeper in the Bowery, to the order of Charles Hugersdorf, proprietor of the Pacific Garden. As the check was a forgery young Holiaker was arrested, though he was released as soon as it was found that he was innocent in the premises, as the check had been received by his father from Hugersdorf. The latter was arrested at the instance of H. T. De Graaf, president of the bank, and on being arraigned before Alderman Moore, at the Tombs, he was remanded for examination, as the attendance of Mr. Hubner had not been secured.

The Columbarian Society.—A most pleasing

THE COLUMBARIAN SOCIETY .- A most pleasing and unique exhibition which has been in progres during the past few days at the hall corner of Broad way and Twenty-third street, under the auspices of the American Columbarian Society, was closed last the American Columbarian Society, was closed last evening. The exhibition consisted of a collection of pigeons of all styles and breeds. There were pouters, fantails, tumblers, ring doves, carriers and a large variety of others. A few of what are styled buttonhead tumblers, tately imported, were also in the collection. Several specimens of excellent poultry were also on exhibition. The entire collection was valued at \$40,000, and was certainly the finest thing of the kind ever seen in this country, or, perhaps, even in Europe.

Ordinations by Archibition McCloskey.—At nine Occook vesterials worning in the Chorch of St. Paul

o'clock yesterday morning, in the Church of St. Paul the Apostle, corner of Fifty-ninth street and Ninth of New York, conferred the order of sub-deacons of New York, conferred the order of sub-deaconship on Francis A. Spencer and Henry Lake, both members of the congregation of St. Paul the Apostle. They are both converts. The former is the son of an Episcopal clergyman, residing at Tarrytown, and the latter, who was formerly a physician, is the son of a wealthy merchant doing business down town. The orders were conferred at the mass, which was celebrated by the Most Rev. Archbishop, assisted by the Rev. A. Young and Rev. Francis McNeirny. The candidates were presented by the Rev. A. T. Hewitt. There was a very large congregation in attendance.

A FOREIGN BURGLARY.—A few days before the 19th ult., a Mr. Ewen, residing in Bermuda, had his

19th ult., a Mr. Ewen, residing in Bermuda, had his dwelling entered by burglars, who carried off, and silver. Captain Hezekiah F. Conyers, of the good ship Eliza Barse, sailed on the 19th and heard of the burglary before he dld so. On his arrival at of the burglary before he did so. On his arrival at this port on Thursday a man named James Hayes came on board and soon after attempted to leave the vessel in a suspicious manner. Hayes was detained and discovered to be in possession of a stocking containing \$100 in gold and silver coin. He first made a bungling attempt to explain such possession, but on being hard pressed acknowledged that he nad received the money from a man on board the vessel, and that the same was a portion of the property taken from the Bermuda planter's residence. As Hayes declined to give the name of the supposed burglar he was arrested by officer Walker, of the First ward, and forthwith arraigned before Alderman Moore, at the Tombs, who held the prisoner for further examination.

THE PHILOLEXIAN SOCIETY OF COLUMBIA COL-LEGE .- The sixty-sixth anniversary of this society Music in the presence of a large and highly fashionable assemblage. The exercises consisted of a num-ber of orations by members of the society, interspersed with music by Grafulla's Seventh regiment band. There were addresses on "The Republic," "Cheek." "Death of Thomas à Becket," "Effect of War onNations," "Westward the Star of Empire," War onnations," "Westward the Star of Empire,"
"Nations—Ancient and Modern," "Peace and War,"
"Ambition," "Printing as a Power of Civilization," an alumni speech and an address by the president. Mr. William Mitchell, Jr., delivered the alumni speech, Mr. Julien T. Davies, the president's address, while the other orations were given by Messrs. Wm. D. Foulke, Edward F. Weeks, Robert H. Hunt, J. H. Livingston, J. Cropper, Frank D. Sturgess, Robert Waller, Jr., J. Herrick Henry and F. A. Browne. It would be difficult to decide which of the young gentlemen excelled. The speeches were all conceived, Inished and delivered in a manner which showed plainly that the reputations of the college and the society were in good hands. It is quite enough to mention in addition that Grafinlia's band discoursed gems from Suppe, Weber, Wallace, Offenbach, Strauss and Verdi to give assurance that the entire performance was highly enjoyable.

## BROOKLYN CITY.

### UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT. Decision in Admiralty.

Judge Benedict rendered a decision yesterday in the case of Reuben M. Rapes vs. the bark Wilheminas. The action was brought to recover damages for an alleged injury caused to the plaintiff by a cargo of hides which were consigned to him from Buenos Ayres and sent on board the above vessel, being damaged by water. It appeared by the terms of the freight contract that the vessel was loaded with 2,000 saited hides and the balance of the cargo consisted of dry hides. The saited hides were placed in the centre of the cargo and the dry hides and bones were to form the timing. Freight was to be paid for the saited hides and the dry ones were to be transported free. On the arrival of the vessel at the port of New York it was found that some 2,500 hides were damaged, and the suit was brought to recover their value. The Court rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff. cargo of hides which were consigned to him

## EROOKLYN INTELLIGENCE.

FATAL RESULT OF AN ACCIDENT,-Daniel Bolen fied at the City Hospital yesterday from the effect of injuries sustained by failing from the roof of the skating rink in Clermont avenue. ATTEMPTED SUICIDE OF A YOUNG GIRL.—A young

girl named Matilda Horton, through apprehensions of want, attempted to commit suicide on Thursday night at the house of a friend in Hudson avenue. BURGLARIES .- The residence of Mr. Drew, at the

corner of Broadway and Linden street, was entered by thieves at half-past six o'clock on Thursday night. They effected an entrance by climbing night. They effected an entrance by climbing upon the roof of the piazza and forcing open a window. The family were at tea in the lower part of the house at the time, but hearing the noise notified the police of the Forty-ninth sub-precinct. Before the arrival of the officers, however, the thieves made good their secape. The same thieves entered the house of Mr. Seymour Scott, on Howard avenue, near Broadway, in the same manner about half-past seven of lock. They only secured a few articles and made their escape.

#### THE FRANCO-AMERICAN ATLANTIC CABLE. At the first general meeting of this company, held

in London on the 8th inst., the directors reported that all of the capital had been subscribed and the sum of eight pounds sterling per share paid upon 39,034 shares. Active steps were being taken to ob-39,034 shares. Active steps were being taken to obtain prompt payment of arrears. The manufacture of the deep sea cable was proceeding rapidly. Up to the present time 460 nautical miles had been completed and about eighty-dre miles were being handed over by the contractors weekly. The second cable, for the shallower sea between St. Pierre and the United States, was to be commenced this week, and its manufacture is computed to proceed at the rate of fifty miles per week. The Great Eastern is now being fitted out at Sheerness, and will commence receiving cable on board at the beginning of January next. Thus full provision has been made for the completion of the manufacture and shipment of the cable and the salling of the expedition within the period stipulated in the contract.

### CUBA.

Important from St. Jago-Pacific Assurances from Spain-Lenity of General Lersundi. By the steamship Morro Castle we have received our correspondence and full files of papers from Havana to the 12th and Nassau to the 13th instant. We

have to thank Purser Albert for kind attentions. Just before the departure of the ship from Havana important telegrams were received there from General Carcia Muños, commanding St. Jago de Cuba, ex-

rai Garcia Muños, commanding St. Jago de Cuba, expressing serious fears as to his ability to hold the city against the insurgents, and asking to be reinforced or relieved of his command.

It was also reported that Nicolas Azcarata, editor of the Voz det Siglo, published at Madrid, telegraphed to his friends to desist from further hostile demonstrations, as the home government had promised all kinds of liberties, civil and religious. Said telegram was forwarded to Morales Lemus, a distinguished Cuban lawyer. Mr. Lotolingo, consignee, of the Spanish mail packets, had also received the same assurances from high quarters. These conciliatory measures have no effect on the Cuban mind, as they are bent on independence. The insurrection is progressing very favorably for the revolutionists, and Spanish gold is now three per cent premium, and business is completely stagnated.

It was reported that Lersundi will leave Cuba on the 18th, and deliver the chief command to his second.

Reported Movement at Macagua-Tactics of the Insurgents-Political Trials in Havana. HAVANA, Dec. 12, 1868.

Through private letters information has reached here that the insurgents have appeared at Macagua, the present terminus of the railroad projected to run the entire length of the island.

The trial of Messrs. Sellen and Valdez Aguirre, attachés of El Pais newspaper, was concluded on the 11th. They were suspected of complicity with the rebellion. The former was ordered to Spain and the latter set at liberty under bonds.

General Lersundi has determined to have no executions for polital offences during his stay on the island. Six of the party recently arrested in San Christobal. and charged with disturbances, and condemned to death by the military commission, had their sentences commuted to imprisonment for a period of years.

Lersundl has stated that he desired to leave the island without the blemish of such executions on his name.

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From the south side of the island we have received nothing since my last of the 9th. Many rumors are affoct, but, as the telegraph line is down and no steamer has arrived, I attach no importance to

steamer has arrived, I attach no importance to them.

An eye witness of many of the encounters between the troops and the insurgents described the operations of the latter as follows:—Certain of the leaders carry about their necks large shells, which are so prepared that they can be used for horns. There is among their followers very little military organization. Leaving the road upon which the troops ard passing they select some point favorable to concealment and throw up rude intrenchments. When the column appears they open a brisk fire, which the continue until too hotly pressed, when a retreat is sounded on the snells, upon which they scatter, each man choosing his own course, to an appointed rendezvous, which he reaches at the earliest possible moment. Here they are reformed and arrangements at once made for another attack, to be followed by another separation and rendezvous. This mode of attack originated, I believe, in the wars of St. Domingo, and with a perfect knowledge of the country, as had by the insurgents, is very effective in doing damage to the troops. A knowledge of the counters understandable the numerous so-called routs of the enemy at the point of the bayonet, as recorded in the government accounts.

#### THE BAHAMAS.

Removal of the Colonial Secretary-News

from Cuba. NASSAU, N. P., Dec. 13, 1868. Our late Colonial Secretary, Dr. Liempiere, has been removed from office by the Queen, in consequence of the part he took in the late general election. A number of merchants here forwarded a complaint to the Secretary of State on the matter, and the result is his removal. The doctor left rather suddenly in a

his removal. The doctor left rather suddenly in a schooner bound for Savannah, it is said on his way to England, to place his version of the affair before the Secretary of State.

Governor Rawson is about to leave us soon. It is even rumored that he will go by this packet, but the officials will give no positive intelligence on the subject. During the short sojourn here of Mr. Rawson he has managed to make himself very unpopular, and no regret is manifested at the prospect of his departure; in fact the contrary is the case, and people seem rather pleased than otherwise.

There are a number of Cubans here; some of them seem a little downhearted, as they expected an earlier solution of their difficulties.

By the schooner Galvanic, Vargas master, arrived from Nuevitas, we learn that six Spanish men-of-war were lying off that port with threats to bombard the town if the people did not remain quiet, all communication with Principe had been cut of and the insurgents were anxiously awaiting the proposition about to be made to them by the government.

VOYAGE FROM CLEVELAND, OHIO, TO LIVERPOOL—
By a private letter from J. W. Cunningham, dated Liverpool, December 2, 1869, we learn that the bark Etowah, Captain J. H. Patterson, arrived in Liverpool on the 26th of November, safe and sound. It will be remembered that the Etowah was loaded with refined petroleum oil at this port and salied on the 2d of October, the day before her consort, the bark L. H. Cotton, met with her well remembered disaster off our harbor. On arrival in Liverpool the Cargo was found to be in perfect order, not having lost a gallon of oil during the voyage. The vessel experienced storay weather, meeting with strong experienced stormy weather, meeting with strong head winds, and was detained several days at Mon-treal by a snow storm.

## MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Married.

BIRDSALL—FROST.—At Glen Cove, L. I., on Wednesday, December 16, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Thomas Malaby, John Birdsall, to Miss Annie Frost, daughter of Samuel Frost, Esq. Christie—Hallett.—On Thursday, December 17, by the Rev. D. McL. Quackenbush. D. D., William M. Christie—Hallett, Esq., of Saugerties, N. Y.

COX—HUSTED.—At Bedford, on Wednesday, December 16, by the Rev. Lea Luqueer, John J. Cox to Anna M., daughter of J. W. Husted, Esq.

CUNNINGHAM—TAYLOR.—On Thursday evening, December 17, at St. George's church, by the Rev. Dr. Tyng. Mr. Richard A. Cunningham to Annie, daughter of Wm. Taylor, Esq., all of this city.

Firher—Keyser.—On Thursday, December 17, at the Fifth arenue Baptist church, by the Rev. Dr. Thos. Armitage, Phillip Firher to Annie, youngest daughter of Ernest Keyser, Esq., all of this city.

Hudson—Fowler.—On Thursday evening, December 17, at the reifth arenue Baptist church, by the Rev. Dr. Thos. Armitage, Phillip Firher to Annie, youngest daughter of Ernest Keyser, Esq., all of this city.

Hudson—Fowler.—On Thursday evening, December 17, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Wm. Evans, Henry H. Hudson, of Michigan, to Sarah C., third daugher of Wm. Fowler, Esq., of New York. No cards.

Michigan papers please copy.

Strellenvers—Works.—At Babylon, La L., on

Michigan papers please copy.

STRLLEHWERF-WICKS.—At Babylon, L. I., on Wednesday, December 16, by Rev. R. Riley, H. Stellehwerf, of Islip, L. I., to ETTIE WICKS, of Babylon, L. I.

WALDEN-DOTY.-On Thursday, December 3, by the Rev. C. B. Syng, THOMAS WALDEN to SARAH H. DOTY, all of this city. Died.

Bow .- On Friday, December 18, OLIVER Bow, aged

70 years.
The inneral will take place at the residence of his son, William H. Bow, 134 South Oxford street, Brooklyn, on Sunday afternoon, at half-past two o'clock. Re'alives and friends are requested to attend without or

o'clock. Relatives and friends are requested to attend, without further notice.
Albany and Trop papers please copy.
CHILD.—On Thursday. December 17, CHARLES
CHILD, aged 28 years and 5 months.
The relatives and friends, also the members of the
Ninth regiment, New York volunteers, and the First
regiment National Guard, are invited to attend the
funeral, from Third avenue, near Seventy-first street,
this (Saturday) noon, at twelve o'clock.
Davis.—On Thursday, December 17, after a short
and severe illness of inflammation of the lungs, EDWARD DAVIS.
Friends and relatives are requested to attend the
funeral, at his late residence, 1,268 Third avenue,
this (Saturday) after along and painfol
illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude and
patience.
The friends of the family and those of her sons-in-

illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude and patience.

The friends of the family and those of her sons-in-law, Edward Wheelock and William Fower, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Sunday afternoon, at one o'clock, from her late residence, 252 West Twentleth street.

DCFFY.—On Thursday, December 17, after a short lilness, John DUFFY, in the 26th year of his age.

His friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Sunday afternoon, at one o'clock, from the residence of his uncle, John Clines, No. 1 Dry Dock street.

EAGAN.—In Brooklyn, on Thursday, December 17, Margarer Ann, youngest daughter of Michael and Elizabeth Eagan, aged 23 years and 6 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from St. Joseph's church, Pacific street, near Vanderbilt avenue, at half-past 9 o'clock, this (Saturday) morning, when a requiem mass will be offered for the repose of her sonl.

FRENS.—On Thursday, December 17, at eleven o'clock P. M., ELLEN, the beloved wife of John H. Frers.

The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon,

O'clock P. M., ELLES, the Frees.

The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon, two o'clock, from her late residence, 56 Oliver street, corner of Oak.

GREEN.—On Wednesday, December 16, MILES JOHN GREEN, aged 33 years.

The funeral will take place on Sunday, at twelve o'clock noon, from Christ church, Claremont, Bergen, N. J.

GRAY.—On Thursday, December 17, CORNELIUS GRAY, aged 33 years.

The friends and relatives, also the members of